

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTERAttorney Docket No: **AB-379U**Application Serial Number:
10/698,098Filing Date:
October 31, 2003Examiner:
Brian T. GedeonArt Unit:
3766**Title of Invention: Method and System for Generating a Cochlear Implant Program Using Multi-Electrode Stimulation to Elicit the Electrically-Evoked Compound Action Potential****TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	32	MINUS	20	12	\$50	\$600
INDEP. CLAIMS	6	MINUS	3	3	\$200	\$600

X Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 6/14/2006 to and through 10/16/2006, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

<u>X</u> one month (\$120.00)	___ three months (\$1,020.00)
___ two months (\$450.00)	___ four months (\$1,590.00)

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$1,320.00

X Please charge the Terminal Disclaimer fee of \$130.00 under 37 CFR 1.20(d).

X Please charge the Information Disclosure fee of \$180.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(p).

X The Director is hereby authorized to charge a total fee of: \$1,630.00 to Deposit Account Number 50-0648.

October 05, 2006
Date

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